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CAPETOWN FOR EMBASSY

VALLETTA FOR YOUNG AND MOOSE

MADRID PASS AMBASSADOR EASUM

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: PORG PEPR PO SF WA
SUBJ: NAMIBIA; PREPARING SWAPO VIA LUANDA

REF: (A) LAGOS 1342
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(B) STATE 027579 (NOTAL)

1. LISBON HAS CONFIRMED SEATS FOR AMBASSADORS EASUM
AND FALLE ON DT 651, FEB 4.

2. WE HAVE RESERVED ONE SINGLE FOR AMBASSADOR EASUM
AT THE HOTEL RITZ FOR FEB 3. THE BRITISH EMBASSY IN

LISBON IS MAKING ARRANGEMENTS FOR AMBASSADOR FALLE.

3. EMBASSY HAS RECHECKED FLIGHTS FROM LUANDA AND HAS BEEN INFORMED THAT THE ANGOLAN AIRWAYS FLIGHT LUANDA TO LISBON SUNDAY NIGHT FEB 5 DOES NOT EXIST. THERE IS A FLIGHT LUANDA TO ROME ALITALIA AZ 1857 LEAVING LUANDA SUNDAY NIGHT 2310 AND ARRIVING ROME MONDAY 0615. THERE ARE NO RPT NO FLIGHTS FROM LUANDA TO ANY POINT IN EUROPE ON MONDAYS. THERE IS AN ANGOLAN AIRWAYS FLIGHT DT 650 LEAVING TUESDAY AT 0105 ARRIVING LISBON 0720. REQUEST AMBASSADOR EASUM INFORM US IMMEDIATELY WHICH FLIGHT HE WOULD PREFER. IF AMBASSADOR EASUM PREFERS THE ALITALIA FLIGHT, RESERVATIONS COULD PROBABLY BE MADE FROM MADRID. IF AMBASSADOR EASUM CHOOSES TO RETURN TO LISBON FROM LUANDA ON THE TUESDAY ANGOLAN AIRWAYS FLIGHT, EMBASSY LISBON WILL BE PLEASED TO MAKE RESERVATIONS AND ARRANGEMENTS FOR ONWARD TRAVEL TO LONDON.

4. AS OF 1200 LOCAL TIME BRITISH EMBASSY HAD NOT RECEIVED CONFIRMATION THAT NETO WILL RECEIVE AMBASSADORS EASUM AND FALLE. BRITISH EMBASSY IS ATTEMPTING TO DETERMINE NETO'S INTENTIONS THROUGH THE BRITISH EMBASSY IN LUANDA.

5. WE WILL MEET AND ASSIST AMBASSADOR EASUM UPON ARRIVAL IN LISBON.
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6. EMBASSY WILL HAVE PORTUGUESE TRANSLATION OF CONTACT GROUP PROPOSALS PREPARED FOR AMBASSADOR EASUM.
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